

Title: When the "Good Ol' Days Get You Down"

Text: Haggai 2:1-9

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IDEA: When we get discouraged come running back to who God is and what He can do.

Intro:

1. The Presence of God vs. 4
2. The Promise of God vs. 5
3. The Power of God v. 6-7a
4. The Plan of God vs. 7b
5. The Possessions of God vs. 8
6. The Place of God vs. 9
7. The Peace of God vs. 9b

The Challenges to Service
Text: Haggai 1:1-15; 2:10-23
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IDEA:

Our commitment to God's work must withstand certain inevitable challenges

I. Commitment Challenged by Selfishness Haggai 1:1-15

- A. Acknowledge the Attitude of Selfishness vs. 1-2
- B. Accept the Result of Selfishness vs. vs. 3-6; 9-11
 - 1. Lack of satisfaction vs. 3-6
 - 2. Presence of hardship vs. 9-11
- C. Adopt the Solution to Selfishness vs. 7-8; 12-15
 - 1. Call to build 7-8
 - 2. Activity of building vs. 12-15

II. Commitment Challenged by Sinfulness Haggai 2:10-19

- A. Consider the Contagiousness of Sin vs. 10-14
- B. Consider the Consequences of Sin vs. 15-19

III. Commitment Challenged by Doubtfulness Haggai 2:20-23

- A. Focus on the Destiny of His kingdom vs. 20-22
- B. Focus on our Destiny in His kingdom vs. 23